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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Amendment

1. The reply filed on 13 September 2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant failed to present arguments pointing out the specific distinctions believed to render the claims, including any newly presented claims, patentable over any applied references. In the instant application the applicant has failed to present arguments with respect to newly presented claims 34-49. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Benjamin A. Ailes whose telephone number is (571)272-3899. The examiner can normally be reached M-F, 8-4:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Andrew Caldwell can be reached on (571)272-3868. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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